

Waller Mill Dog Park



Joint venture
between
City of Williamsburg
and
James City County



2006 Hours of Operation:

(open year round *weather permitting*)

January - February	8:00 am - 5:00 pm
March - April 1st	7:00 am - 6:00 pm
April 2nd - May	7:00 am - 7:00 pm
Memorial Day Weekend - Labor Day Weekend <i>open 6:00 am weekends only</i>	
June - August	7:00 am - 8:00 pm
September (after Labor Day)	7:00 am - 7:00 pm
October 1st - 28th	7:00 am - 6:00 pm
Oct. 29th - December 30th	8:00 am - 5:00 pm

2006 SCHEDULED CLOSINGS

November 23
December 24-25, 31
January 1

**FEEDING OF PARK
WILDLIFE IS
STRICTLY PROHIBITED.**



**DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN
THE RESERVOIR FOR
ANY REASON.**



**Waller Mill Park
Route 645, Airport Road**

Phone: (757) 259-3778
Fax: (757) 259-9187

Website: www.williamsburgva.gov/dept/rec

Mission Statement:

To provide a safe and well-maintained park for you and your dog to enjoy.

In keeping with the Mission Statement, the following rules have been established. The Waller Mill Dog Park is a joint venture between the **City of Williamsburg** and **James City County**.

Prior to entering and using the Dog Park, all dogs must be registered at the Operations Building and all owners/handlers must read and agree to abide by the Dog Park Rules. To register your dog: the owner's information, the handler's information (if different) and the dog's information must be submitted on the Registration Form.

Information for your dog must include the name, approximate age, breed, and City or County of dog license registration. Owners must present written records indicating current dog license and rabies vaccination.

It is our sincere hope that you and your four-legged friends enjoy the Dog Park in the beautiful surroundings of Waller Mill Park.

If you have any questions regarding the Dog Park rules, please contact Waller Mill Park at 259-3778.

Use of the Dog Park shall be at your own risk.



**Annual membership fee for
Williamsburg and James City County
residents is:**

**\$12.00 for the first dog
\$6.00 for each additional dog**

**Non-resident annual membership fee:
\$50.00 for the first dog
\$25.00 for each additional dog**

Daily access fee - \$2.00



- 🐾 The Dog Park has two areas, one for small dogs 20 pounds and less and an area for large dogs. To ensure the safety of all the dogs in the park, dogs should be kept in the area that fits their weight category.
- 🐾 All dogs must be leashed while in Waller Mill Park, *except when inside the Dog Park fence*.
- 🐾 The Dog Park gates must be kept closed. No animals other than dogs are allowed in the Dog Park.
- 🐾 Aggressive, disruptive, sick, female dogs in heat, and puppies younger than four months old are not permitted in the Dog Park.
- 🐾 Only two dogs per handler are allowed. Dogs must be under the handler's control at all times.
- 🐾 Handlers must be at least 12 years old and if less than eighteen (18) years old must be accompanied at all times by an adult.
- 🐾 Children under the age of five (5) years are not allowed in the Dog Park area at any time.
- 🐾 Smoking, food, cigarettes and tobacco products, glass containers, and trash are not allowed in the Dog Park. These items may cause harm to the dogs.
- 🐾 Do not feed the dogs in or near the Dog Park. This includes training treats.
- 🐾 Choke, prong, pinch, and spike collars must be removed before a dog may run free in the Dog Park.
- 🐾 If an injury occurs, handlers should exchange contact information before leaving the park.
- 🐾 Handlers are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs. Failure to clean up will be cause for termination of further use of the Dog Park.
- 🐾 Anyone creating a disturbance or violating the Dog Park or general Waller Mill Park rules may be asked to leave Waller Mill Park and/or relinquish their Dog Park membership.



Virginia State Code Recreational Use Immunity

§ 15.2-1809. Liability of localities in the operation of parks, recreational facilities, and playgrounds.

No City or town which operates any park, recreational facility, or playground shall be liable in any civil action or proceeding for damages resulting from any injury to the person or from a loss of or damage to the property of any person caused by any act or omission constituting ordinary negligence on the part of any officer or agent of such city or town in the maintenance or operation of any such park, recreational facility or playground. Every such city or town shall, however, be liable in damages for the gross negligence of any of its officers or agents in the maintenance or operation of any such park, recreational facility or playground.

The immunity created by this section is hereby conferred upon counties in addition to, and not limiting on, other immunity existing at common law or by statute.

(Code 1950, § 15-714; 1962, c. 623, § 15.1-291; 1979, c. 277; 1990, c. 18; 1997, c. 587.)